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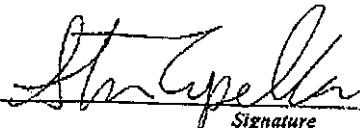
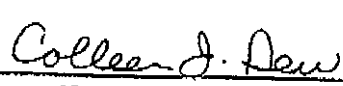
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Invention: PROCESS FOR FORMING FEATURES OF 50NM OR LESS HALF-PITCH WITH CHEMICALLY AMPLIFIED RESIST IMAGING					
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Filed: June 25, 2003	:	IBM Corporation
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Title: PROCESS FOR FORMING	:	2070 Route 52
FEATURES OF 50NM OR LESS	:	Hopewell Junction, NY
HALF-PITCH WITH CHEMICALLY	:	12533-6531
AMPLIFIED RESIST IMAGING	:	

Preliminary Amendment

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendment is submitted for entry in this application prior to publication and examination.

The **AMENDMENT** to the **SPECIFICATION** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.